

BUSY WEEK IS BEFORE LEGISLATORS

Effort Will Be Made To Rush Pet Bills Thru Before Rules Committee Takes Charge

(By Associated Press)
Frankfort, Feb. 13—This week promises to be a fast and furious one for legislation in the Kentucky General Assembly.

With the regime of the Rules Committee scheduled for the last twenty days of the session almost at hand the members will get down to speedy work in an effort to force through all the legislation possible before they surrender their rights to the controlling committee. Next week all bills brought out will be advanced by the Rules Committee unless the houses decide by a majority of the elected members that they want some special measure presented for consideration.

More important bills are scheduled for this week than in any preceding week and it is likely that many important questions will be decided before the Rules Committee takes charge. Both houses during the past week outlined a number of special orders for this week, so that something interesting is scheduled for every day. Both houses last one day on account of the adjournment until tomorrow for Lincoln's birthday and consequently some of the special orders set for this morning will not get a hearing until the following day.

Most important among the bills to come up this week are those in the Senate. Griffin Kelley's measure to provide for the election of county school superintendents by a direct vote of the people will come up for consideration early in the week. The House already has passed a similar bill and backers of the measure predict that it will carry in the upper body. Another education measure is that of Newton Bright's creating a State Board of Education of eight members.

Both houses will have evolution bills up for consideration during the week. In the Senate the Rash bill, or a substitute for it, will be taken up, and in the House the Chandler bill will be considered. Both measures have caused interest throughout the country and there is considerable speculation as to whether they will be enacted into law.

On Wednesday the Senate will take up Senator Hiram Brock's bill defining qualifications for members and employees of the State Board of Charities and Corrections. The minimum wage bill also is slated for consideration in the Senate Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Among the more important bills in the orders of the day are likely to be called up for consideration in the Senate are:

J. D. Whiteaker's bill to regulate the practice of medicine, osteopathy and chiropractic.

R. C. Simmons' bill, Minimum Wage Act.

J. W. Stoll, to prohibit trading stamps.

R. C. Simmons' bill to create office of Comptroller as desired by voters of various cities, districts and counties of the Commonwealth.

B. H. Harris' bill to amend school district law in fourth class cities with reference to annexed territory.

Griffin Kelley's bill to regulate the running at large of stock.

Newton Bright's bill to create State Board of Education composed of eight laymen and the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Newton Bright's bill, load limit bill.

H. M. Brock's bill to prescribe method for State Board of Charities and Corrections to enter into contracts for employment of convicts.

William Wallace's bill to regulate manufacture, storage, transportation and sale of explosives.

F. M. White's bill to relieve women from poll tax.

William L. Wallace's bill to continue existence of Kentucky Council of Defense.

Newton Bright's bill to amend act defining boundaries for school districts embracing cities of the fourth class.

S. L. Marshall's bill to amend act relating to the appointment and qualifications of members of the Board of Trustees of the

University of Kentucky.

L. C. Simmons' bill to amend act relating to desertion and abandonment of children to include wives who are about to become mothers.

T. B. Watts' bill to increase salary of deputy or assistant assessors from \$1,500 to \$2,000 a year.

B. H. Harris' bill to require persons who hold oil or gas leases to develop same in three years or relinquish leases.

J. R. Rash's bill to prohibit the teaching of evolution in schools, colleges or institutions maintained by the state.

Pal Garner's bill to prohibit the granting of teachers' certificates to tubercular persons.

H. M. Brock's bill to enlarge the powers and territorial jurisdiction of sheriffs, policemen, town marshals and constables.

H. M. Brock's bill to authorize the licensing of a practicing physician in the county of his residence.

H. M. Brock's bill to authorize dentists who have practiced 12 years or more to register in office of county clerk.

H. V. Bell's bill to require soft drink stands to give unobstructed view of inside from outside.

The following most important bills are in the orders of the day in the House and likely to be called up for consideration:

E. V. Boyd's bill to repeal restriction of hunting rabbits.

D. A. O'Donovan's bill to substitute \$15,000,000 soldier bonus bond issue.

G. C. Waggoner's bill to make a misdemeanor to kill or wound blood-fox or deer-bound.

James Park's bill to empower University of Kentucky and Normal Schools to condemn land.

C. D. Minor's bill to appropriate \$1,000 annually for five years for Perryville Battlefield.

A. L. Hamilton's bill to provide for State Police Force, appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with a deputy superintendent, clerical assistants and the officers and men who shall constitute the force.

James Park's bill to amend sub-section 8, Section 606, Civil Code, to provide that adverse party may be compelled to testify.

C. B. Truesdell's bill to amend sub-section 9, Section 3840, Kentucky Statutes, relating to the construction of sewers in the streets, alleys and highways of cities of the fourth class.

M'VEY DEFENDS TEACHING EVOLUTION

(By Associated Press)
Lexington, Ky., Feb. 13—Any statement that the University of Kentucky teaches "atheism, agnosticism, and Darwinism, (in the sense that man is descended from baboons and gorillas), is absolutely false," said Dr. Frank L. McVey, president of the University of Kentucky, in a prepared statement addressed "to the people of Kentucky" given out here Sunday.

Dr. McVey said that to forbid the teaching of evolution in the University would mean elimination of textbooks and courses relating to astronomy, botany, bacteriology, biology, geology and zoology.

Asking "What is Evolution," Dr. McVey said that "evolution is development; it is change, and every man knows that development and change are going on all of the time."

The statement is prompted by efforts being made to have the General Assembly pass laws, based on statements of William J. Bryan, forbidding the teaching of evolution in the public schools and universities.

Here's Cheap League

(By Associated Press)
Cairo, Ill., Feb. 13—The "Tik" baseball league was organized here yesterday. It is composed of teams from Paris, Tennessee, Cairo, Illinois, Paducah and Mayfield, Kentucky. It plans to increase its membership to eight. The teams are limited to thirteen players each with a salary limit of \$1,800 per season.

Stearns, Ky., Feb. 13—Mr. and Mrs. Finley Murphy, of Marsh Creek, are receiving congratulations on the birth of their 18th child, a son. Fourteen of the 18 are living. Mr. Murphy is 40, and his wife slightly younger.

EDMOND B. HUME DIES IN ATLANTA

Son of Old Madison Succumbs To Pneumonia — Death Comes As Shock To All

The death of Edmond Burnam Hume, aged 60, which occurred at his home in Atlanta, Ga., late Saturday, of pneumonia, has brought sorrow to many relatives and friends here, having come as a great shock as no intimation of his illness had been received.

Mr. Hume was reared in Richmond, moving from here to Louisville several years ago and from there to Atlanta five years ago. He married Miss Nettie Stockton of this city, who with two children, Miss Eugenia Hume and Mr. Stockton Hume, survive; also two sisters, Mrs. L. B. Herington, of Louisville, and Mrs. Harvey Chenault, of this city. The body will arrive in Richmond Monday at 5 P. M. and be taken to the home of R. C. Stockton, on Lancaster avenue, from which place funeral services will be held Wednesday. The hour will be announced later.

ONE OF OLDEST CITIZENS SUCCEUMS

The death of Mr. Stephen Gibson occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. M. Phelps, on the Jack's Creek road early Sunday morning, February 12, 1922. Death was due to the infirmities of age. He was born near Londonderry, Ireland, January 1st, 1825. Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 2:30 by Dr. Homer W. Carpenter, Interment in Richmond cemetery.

TELLS GROWERS TO SAVE CERTIFICATES

Some of the banks of the burley district are offering the tobacco growers who are members of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association the free service of their vaults in which to keep their participation certificates until they are called in by the association and are pointing out to them the possibility that these certificates may stand for more money than the advance received on the crop.

Chief of the Field Service Jos. Passonneau urges all growers who have delivered their crops and all who deliver their tobacco in future to take good care of the participation certificates, so that they may reap the full benefit for themselves of the new system of marketing. Growers are warned not to part with their certificates and not to sell them, as if they do so the growers will likely suffer the consequences of speculation, one of the evils the association is designed to eliminate.

BOOZE POURING AT HARRODSBURG TUESDAY

Harrodsburg, Ky., Feb. 13—At 11 o'clock Tuesday all of the liquor seized in raids hereabouts and since held behind steel at the jail is to be poured into the gutter at the Pulliam statue in front of the court house. Sheriff Walter Kennedy will be master of ceremonies, and his deputies will stand guard over the kegs, jugs and bottles.

Judge C. A. Hardin, who has decreed the execution, will give the word for onslaught. The W. C. T. U. will attend in a body and will have photographs made.

The entire population has been invited to be present—a moral lesson being intended. The quantity to be poured has not been calculated, but numerous car-gauges ranging from forty gallons down to quarts, have been seized and experts declare that the aroma will linger over Harrodsburg for at least two days. Every liquor case tried here has resulted in a conviction.

Catches Big Hawk

Mr. John Turpin caught one of the largest hawks seen in a long time last Sunday. It measured 53 inches from tip to tip.

Business Men

Don't forget the meeting tonight to take steps to reorganize the Chamber of Commerce. Every citizen is invited and urged to be at the State Bank and Trust Company at 7 o'clock. Your absence will be good evidence that you are not interested in an organized effort to work for the commercial development of Richmond and Madison county.

MARY MILES MINTER ISSUES STATEMENT

(By Associated Press)
Los Angeles, Feb. 13—Mary Miles Minter, motion picture actress, issued a statement today declaring she had told investigators all she knew of the life of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, slain mysteriously 12 days ago. She said she could not conceive how any person could voluntarily wrong Taylor. "There is no personal or financial sacrifice I would not make to bring the slayer of Mr. Taylor to justice," her statement said.

Mack Sennett Questioned

Los Angeles, Feb. 13—An arrest can be expected any time for the murder of William Desmond Taylor. This startling admission was made by Captain of Detectives David L. Adams. He amplifies his statement by saying that the person arrested would be a man and the "avid slayer of Taylor. Furthermore, the public will be greatly surprised when it learns the name of this man, Captain Adams said.

A fact hitherto denied, is that Mack Sennett, famous film producer for whom Mabel Normand works, has been questioned at length in regard to the crime. An official who refused to be quoted in the matter, admitted that Sennett had been questioned by whom or when, he refused to state. He also announced that he was not at liberty to state what Sennett had said.

Several days ago Sennett's private secretary stated that he was ill in bed and too sick to talk. He also added that the police had instructed him not to talk and guarded the house. At that time Adams denied that Sennett had ever been questioned or that any of his men were guarding him. It became known today, however, that Sennett has been questioned despite his illness and the officer added significantly he probably would be questioned again.

SUIT AGAINST IRVINE ESTATE

Circuit court was occupied practically all of Monday with the suit of E. S. Wiggins against the estate of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Irvine. Mr. Wiggins is asking about \$5,500 from the estate for services rendered Mrs. Irvine during her life-time.

For a number of years Mrs. Wiggins was engaged by Mrs. Irvine to live at her home and attend other business for her, and the amount sued for is alleged to have been just and reasonable compensation over and above amounts paid him for his service in her behalf. Mr. Wiggins is represented by Attorney J. Smith Hays, of Winchester, while J. W. Crooke, administrator of the estate is represented by Attorneys A. R. Burnam and J. J. Greenleaf.

New Pope Is Enthroned

Rome, Feb. 13—Pius XI was crowned Pope in the basilica of St. Peter's Sunday amid scenes of pomp and enthusiasm and in the presence of princes and dignitaries of the church, the diplomatic representatives of foreign countries, members of the Roman aristocracy and a vast assemblage filling the great structure to the very doors. The ancient custom was carried out with impressive ceremonies, and the newly elected pontiff now occupies the throne of the first pope reported crowned, Leo III, who reigned from 795 to 816.

BEREA "KIVVER" IS GIVEN HARDING

President Hutchins In Washington To Make Presentation At White House Today

Washington, Feb. 13—President Warren G. Harding will receive today from President Jas. Hutchins, of Berea College, a "kivver" of the ample proportions and characteristic weave that have marked homespun products of the Kentucky mountains for 150 years. The quilt was made in the Fireside Industrial Department—housed in the Sunshine Ballad Cabin at Berea—by mountain girl students.

Dr. Hutchins will go to the White House at one o'clock, accompanied by John Temp's Graves, Dr. Johnathan C. Day, C. C. Callum, Seth Low, Pierpont, Rev. Dr. Jason N. Pierce, and others associated in the Washington drive this week for subscriptions to the Berea \$100,000 necessity fund. The Berea head will make a short speech of presentation.

In addresses made from Washington pulpits Sunday, Drs. Hutchins and Day prepared the way for a mass meeting to be held Monday night when the appeal will be launched.

Dr. Hutchins told an audience at Calvary Baptist church—Mr. Harding's church—that the mountain people of the South are of the stuff of which Abraham Lincoln was made.

"Patriotic, religious, prolific, they may become builders of America the beautiful," he declared. "The only solution of the mountain problem is christian education. Education to the mountain man means liberation, provided the education is set free from sectarianism, and set free from materialism."

Discussing the work of Berea, Dr. Hutchins said that back into the caves and "hollers" of Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia, Virginia and other states, go hundreds of normal students each year to transform the community life—"the women to foster better homes, to serve as registered nurses, the men to teach and practice better mountain agriculture."

He also told of the handicaps wrought by the bad roads and other factors for isolation. He praised the work of his predecessors, Dr. William Goodell Frost, as that of "daring and constructive educational genius."

Dr. Hutchins spoke Sunday morning at the First Congregational church, Dr. Day, who is aiding the work in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and other cities, also spoke at three Washington churches Sunday. He will address a number of luncheon clubs during the week.

Dr. Day, who for ten years was pastor of the Presbyterian Labor Temple, in New York, was born in Harlan county, His mother, who could neither read nor write, once sold 600 acres of the best coal land in Kentucky for \$600.

Representative Ralph Gilbert of Kentucky, will preside at the mass meeting tonight. Addresses will be made by Drs. Hutchins and Day, John Temple Graves and others. The drive will be carried to Baltimore next week.

MADISON BOY IS OPERATED ON IN WEST

Mrs. G. B. Hale has received word that her brother, Rev. James Cornelison, of Pendleton, Oregon, is confined in the hospital awaiting the outcome of a serious operation for stomach trouble. Mr. Cornelison is a Madison boy and has numerous friends here who hope for a speedy recovery.

Notice to the Public

I have taken charge of the Goodloe barber shop and will appreciate the patronage of all my friends.

37 2t CHAS. CORNELISON

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The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight.

Today's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Feb. 13—Light weights, packers and medium 25c higher; others steady; trade in Chicago lower; cattle and calves steady.

Louisville, Feb. 13—Cattle 1400 strong; \$2 to \$7; hogs 5400. 50c lower; \$4 to \$19; sheep 50 steady \$6 down; lambs \$13.

HOTEL SAFE ROBBED OF \$100,000 JEWELS

(By Associated Press)
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 13—Four bandits held up the night force at the Washington hotel here last night and looted the safety deposit of jewelry worth \$100,000 belonging to guests and escaped.

YOUNGSTER HAS LEG BROKEN SKATING

William, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fife, had a leg broken about noon while skating on roller skates. He in some way caught his foot in between the spokes of a wagon wheel. He was taken at once to the hospital where as the Daily Register goes to press he is reported as resting comfortably.

SNEAK THIEF ON BARNES MILL PIKE

A sneak thief got into the home of George B. DeJarnette Jr., on the Barnes Mill pike, last week and stole about all the spare clothes he had. A couple of fine razors, his shirt studs, his wife's wrist watch, and other valuables were taken. The family were visiting at a neighbor's at the time, and it was some time before the clothing and articles were missed. Mr. DeJarnette has a clew to the thief and unless his things are returned P. D. Q. he is going to get busy about the matter.

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HOPES FOR NEWS OF MISSING SON

Edgar Walker Peyton, Reported Missing In Russia, Is Sought By Parents Here

In January, 1919, Edgar Walker Peyton, son of W. L. Peyton, of Richmond, was shot down in Russia, while battling with the Russian Bolsheviks in Siberia. His parents have never heard from him since.

The War Department reported him as missing. His comrades, Stewart West and Sam Salter, of Richmond, said they saw him shot. They thought he was killed but his body was never found. The War Department records say that he is one of the many thousands reported as missing.

The other day some one sent his father a paper with a report of a young man at the government hospital at Dayton, O., who does not remember his name. This young man is said to have been in the army hospital at Dayton for some time. He seems sort of crazed. Some one thought he resembled description of the Peyton boy, so the paper was sent to his father here. Mr. Peyton will write a letter at once to the hospital at Dayton giving full description of his son, and if necessary will go there to see if he can identify the young man.

Both his comrades, West and Salter, said they saw young Peyton fall but didn't know whether he was killed or not. Official reports said his body was never recovered.

The young man was a member of the 339th infantry doing duty in Siberia. He was 22 years of age when he left with his company.

His parents here have waited three years for news of him, hoping against hope, as the official reports simply has him as "missing."

NORMALCY NOW HITS COTTON MILL WORKERS

(By Associated Press)
Boston, Mass., Feb. 13—Half of the 200,000 cotton mill operatives or New England are on reduced wage scales today and nearly 50,000 of them were on strike in protest, as a result of many plants being shut down, including the Ameskeg Mills, at Manchester, the largest cotton mill in the world.

"UNCLE JOE" CANNON NOT A CANDIDATE

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 13—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, the oldest member of the House, today announced he would not be a candidate for reelection as Representative from the 18th Illinois district. The former speaker announced his intention to retire from politics in an 11-voiced statement which read "I am not a candidate for reelection to the 68th Congress." The Illinois representative is one of the most picturesque and widely known figures in Congress. He will be 86 years old next May 7. He is serving his 23rd term, during eight years of which he was speaker.

While Cannon gave no reason for his announced intention to retire, close friends declared he has made the decision in the belief his health and age made a less strenuous life advisable. He is expected to retire to his home in Danville, Illinois, after serving out his present term.

When Your Farm Stock Is Sick, Look for Rats

Disease among farm animals just don't happen. Rats are carriers of dangerous plagues—hog cholera, a roof and mouth disease, and that terrible of all scourges—Bubonic plague. Farmers, should throw around premises RAT-SNAP. It's sure and safe. Three sizes, 25c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Douglas & Simmons and Stockton and Son, feb

Dorothy Dodd Shoes for Ladies included in the special sale prices—E. V. Elder.